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In response to the Election of Species Requirement mailed May 25, 2004, Applicant elects, without traverse, Species II, drawn to Figure 1B, having claims 1-21 readable thereon. Moreover, applicant hereby submits that at least claim 1 is generic to all species, and upon allowance of this claim, applicant requests examination of all pending claims

The Examiner is invited to contact Applicant's Representatives at the below-listed telephone number if there are any questions regarding this Response or if prosecution of this application may be assisted thereby.

Respectfully submitted,

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